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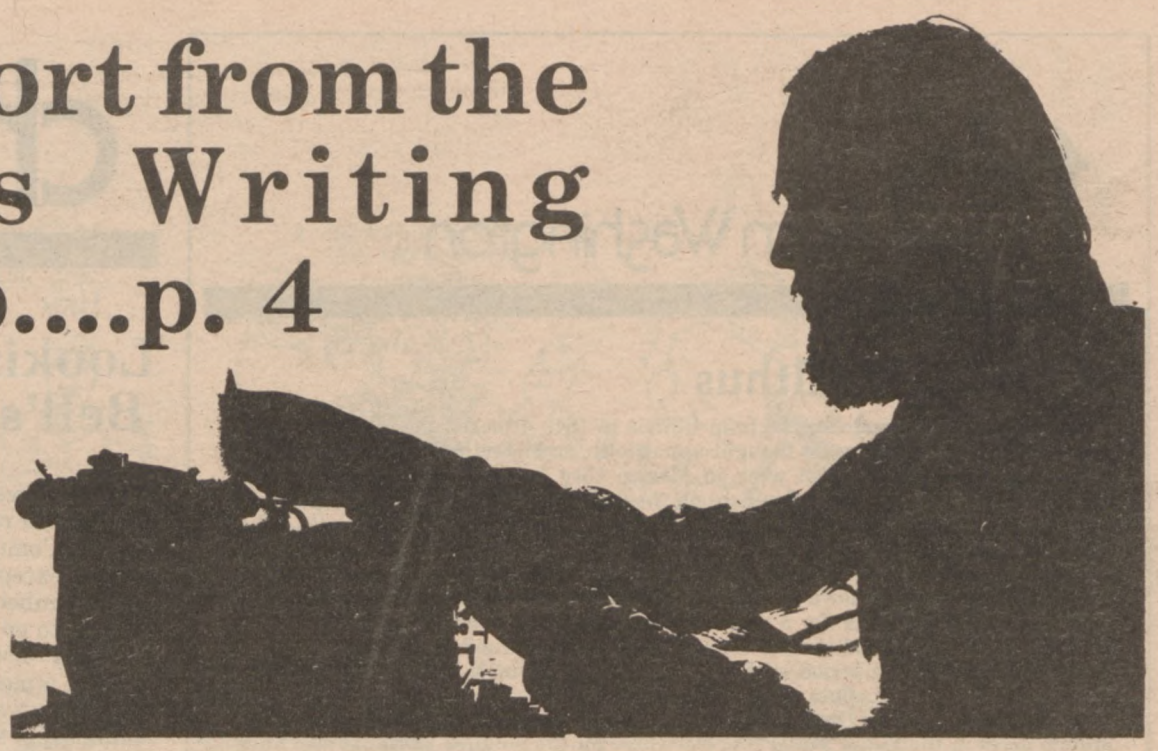

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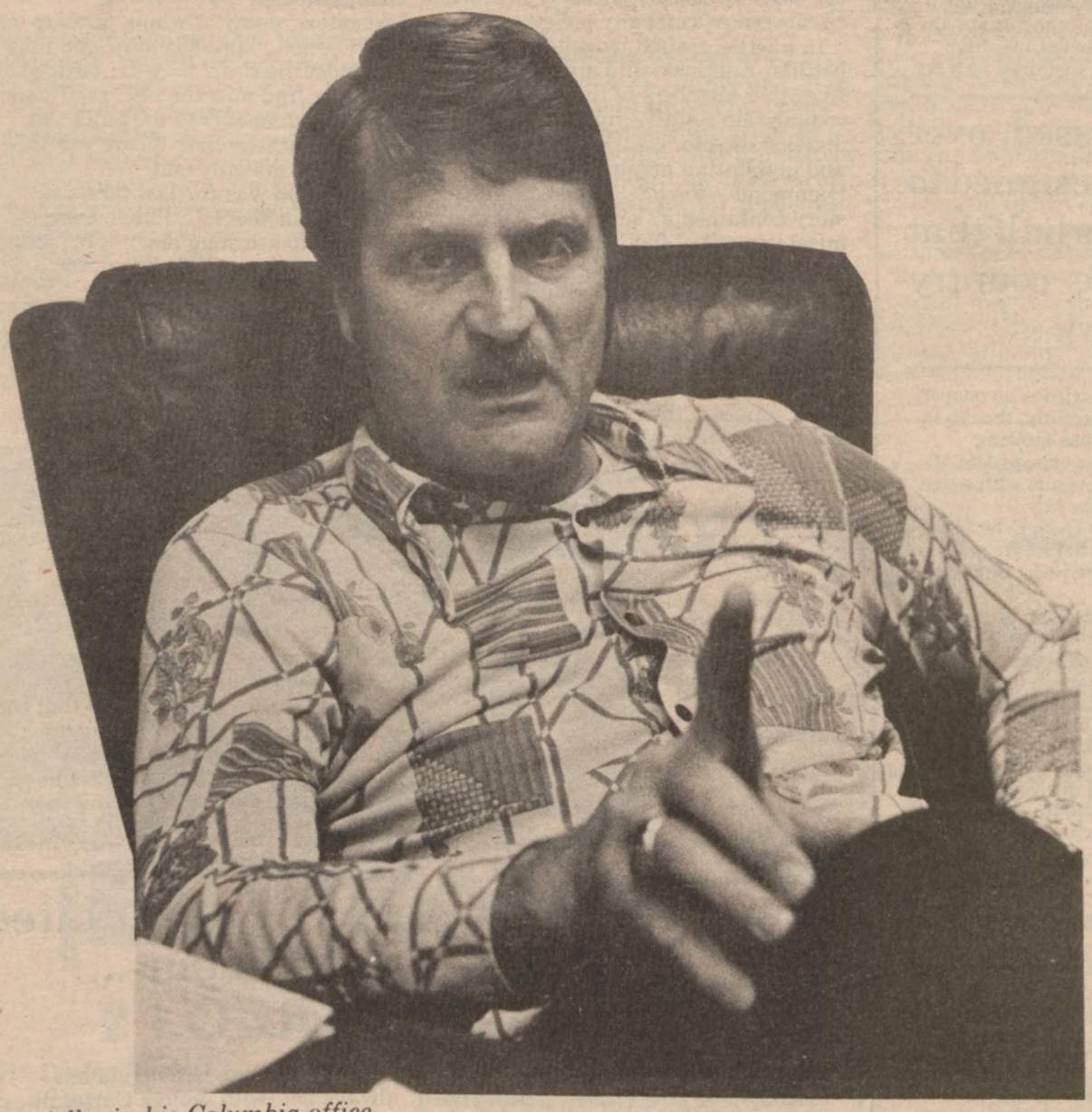

Jim Adler in his Columbia office

Introduction

For over two decades, the name Sinway Young and the labor movement in South Carolina were synonymous in the minds of many — politically speaking, at least. Young, who is business manager of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers' (IBEW) Local No 382 in Columbia, had been serving as President of the S.C. Labor Council as long as most anyone cared to remember.

The Labor Council is a voluntary association of S. C. locals of AFL-CIO-affiliated international unions. The Council, with sister organizations in the other states, is at least in theory the political arm, the political voice of the labor movement here. The job of the Labor Council is to get friends of the labor movement elected to public offices, and to influence public policy in the direction the labor movement wants it to go.

Now, even the most casual political observer can tell you that the last 20 years hasn't exactly been the golden age of Labor influence in South Carolina politics. Publicly-acknowledged friends of Labor have been a distinct minority among elected officials. And state legislators and Congressmen haven't exactly been falling over themselves to push Labor-backed legislation.

In fact, you could make a strong argument that since the death in 1965 of Democratic U.S. Senator Olin Johnston, an unfailing Labor ally, the political status of the labor movement here has been about as bad as could be.

To say the least, Labor has not played a major influential role in the ruling Democratic coalition. In fact, Labor has been the abused "in-law" of that establishment for some time. Labor has been expected to and has supplied political resources — money, facilities, votes. But Labor's alliance with the Democratic establishment has been strictly clandestine. Publicly, Labor has been the subject of tolerance at best, and has been subjected often to derision and abuse at the hands of big-shot Demos. And for its trouble, for what input it has provided, the movement and the people it has claimed to represent have gained few tangible benefits.

Of course, "the times" can be blamed for some of this sad state of affairs. There are many who would tell you

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Ghost of Malthus

An obscure Whig congressman from Illinois in 1848 attacked the Mexican War in speeches that his constituents thought unpatriotic, and he retired from public life, his career evidently ruined. Last week in Mexico City I found a quotation from the congressman (translated into Spanish) on the wall of the splendid history museum at Chapultepec Castle. "You will notice the author," said the guide, negligently. Who? Why, Abraham Lincoln, to be sure.

You always find out things about home when you travel abroad. A lot of officials from Washington came down to see the inaugural ceremony for Lopez Portillo, replacing Luis Echeverria (for a single six-year term) and to enjoy watching the Mexican transition period come to an end. Then they returned to their own interminable transition period in the US. It is one of the most dangerous intervals in our government and ought to be shortened or abolished.

In Mexico City, Lame Duck Echeverria suddenly ordered the expropriation of 1.5 million acres in the Yaqui Valley and elsewhere for the landless peasants who have been promised the land for 40 years. It sent a convulsion through the already jittery country, and then after doing it Echeverria calmly left to his hand-picked successor, Portillo, the job of calming the storm. It was a wonderful example of what a lame duck can do if he wants to, and made some inaugural visitors from Washington ponder. Who is making policy now at home, Jimmy or Jerry? Fortunately President Ford isn't expropriating land.

As I went to my sightseeing bus in Mexico City a woman with a nursing baby and two other tota peeping out from the blankets where she sat on the street near the fashionable hotel, stretched out her hand for alms. The guide on the bus pooh-poohed it. Tourists shouldn't be deceived, he explained. Poverty in Mexico is exaggerated. Some women hire small children to sit beside them and make it look more pathetic, he said. He was a bouncy, jocular guide. Peasants in their thatched huts in the provinces are much better off than they seem, he assured the affluent Americans: they have valuables stashed away that visitors don't see. We must all be comfortable at the bull fight, he said: for 10 pesos we could rent a straw mat to cushion the hard seats, and sit in comfort while the animals were tortured.

Our guide got a big laugh, too, when he said, yes, Mexico has universal compulsory education — but it isn't enforced; not enough schools. One reason for the school shortage is the astonishing birthrate. It is one of the highest in the world. It is curious that neither *Time* nor *Newsweek* in their accounts of the Mexican land expropriation turmoil, and the devaluation of the peso, mentioned a basic fact underlying these problems: Mexico's population is running out of space and resources. Population has jumped to 60 million and at the present rate is doubling every 20 years. Yes, by 2000 AD, according to current demographic projections, there should be 132 million Mexicans jammed below the border. Only, almost certainly, this won't happen; something will give, first. Maybe they will enter the United States. The ghost of Malthus is watching with interest.

Population growth in the US has dropped to 0.9 percent; the world rate is around 1.9 percent; but in Mexico — a land whose area gives an exaggerated notion of its arable acreage, and where the distribution of wealth is desperately unequal — the growth rate is an amazing 3.2 percent. The population is young, too; the median age in the US is 29 years (and getting older), in Mexico is about 17. The fertility drive will be there for a long time. The poor are prolific. An American is sustained by a per

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capita gross national product of $5590; for a Mexican it is $740. Mexico is no pauper, of course; it has had a remarkable record of growth and stability recently, though in 1968 the army machine - gunned a political protest, killing 300. It has growing agriculture and industry, and a flood of oil. It also has a staggering outside debt of $20 billion and an undercurrent of social unrest. These landless peasants with seven or eight children look hungrily at the big estates in a land where the law theoretically forbids ownership of more than 250 acres each. Lame Duck Echeverria has turned the expropriation wolf loose; can President Portillo control it? He must also deal with what Leonard Silk of *The New York Times* calls "the worst financial panic since the revolution of 1910."

The problem hits the US, of course, at the border. Parts of the US are now Spanish-speaking. The Census Bureau reports it is by far the most common second language; I noticed that a line of Spanish had even gotten onto the District of Columbia ballot in last month's election to help the newcomers. Chicago has a quarter million Latinos, New Jersey more Hispanics than Arizona, and Illinois more than New Mexico. Ben Holman, head of the Justice Department's Community Relations Service, notes that Hispanic Americans have a fertility rate twice that of other citizens. Will the US, like Canada, ultimately become bi-lingual?

The Pentagon spends a hundred billion or more a year to defend the country against invasion, but the government can afford only 1700 men to protect the Mexican border. Immigration Commissioner Leonard Chapman told a Washington audience the other day that there are six to ten million illegal immigrants in the country (two-thirds Mexican) and that he thinks he is catching about one out of three or four trying to enter.

Before it recessed Congress passed, over Mr. Ford's veto, a $3.5 billion bill designed to generate 300,000 new jobs. Perhaps half that number of immigrants enter the country illegally annually, looking for work. In Mexico it is estimated that a quarter of the work force is now unemployed, as many more are working only intermittently. With population growth 750,000 workers enter the job market annually.

There will be a drive in the new Congress to pass a bill prohibiting employment of illegal aliens and to penalize employers who hire them. Last summer, in Texas, Jimmy Carter said he would support such a law. He is, of course, backed by the trade unions. Congress may act. And meanwhile, that extraordinary 3.5 percent population growth rate will continue in Mexico.

cheap shots

Looking at it Bell's way...

It never ceases to amaze us the heresy that comes out of S. C. Public Service Commission and last week was no exception. Six commission staff members took the time last Friday, to go out on a limb for our "smiling" friends down at Southern Bell. In a meeting called with representatives of the news media, the commission staff took issue with recent news accounts which they believed were misleading.

The offending story, first carried by the Charlotte Observer, charged that Bell company executives had "falsified" expense account vouchers to the tune of $7,896. The stories were based on accountants' "working papers" in the commission's possession which were recently released under the Freedom of Information Act.

According to the story, commission documents revealed that South Carolina Bell executives had falsified vouchers "because the company would not accept receipts showing liquor or beverage purchases." A commission accountant's notes showed that a Bell executive had taken "actual handwritten receipts from a liquor wholesaler and two restaurants and made up typed statements from blank bill heads." Although auditors reported there was no misappropriation of company funds, they did point out that the executive had circumvented company policy.

In a letter drafted by general counsel Nathan Kaminski and approved by five other members of the commission's staff -- including utilities division director Charles W. Ballentine and accounting manager Sam C. Hammond -- the PSC charged that the story contained a "serious misstatement of fact which should be corrected."

"No where," the letter continued, "is there revealed in these working papers that there existed 'falsified expense vouchers' or that 'executives falsified $7,896 worth of vouchers'..." While the letter concedes that Bell employes "did not follow the proper procedures for submission of expenses incurred" the staff did not believe that it "constituted fraud, in either a legal or a practical context."

Although the word "fraud" was not used in the Observer story to describe the vouchers, Kaminski argued that use of the word "falsified" implied "fraud" and was therefore misleading. He noted that no executive had "pocketed any money for his own personal use" and that, therefore, there was no fraud. While Kaminski insisted there was no difference between "falsified" and "fraud" and said that he would not have characterized the vouchers as "falsified," he could not think of what word he would have used to describe them.

Just why these commission staffers consider vouchers made up to circumvent company policy something other than "falsified" somehow escapes us. But what is even more puzzling is why the PSC staff would want to come to the defense of the telephone company, in this instance, to begin with.

The Public Service Commission has been the subject of controversy in recent years, and with good reason. Citizens of one of the nation's poorest states find it increasingly harder to make ends meet, and watch incredulously as the commission rubber-stamps large increases to giant utilities like Southern Bell. Meanwhile, the sons of two of the commissioners have been known to work for some of the companies the PSC is charged with regulating. The PSC commissioners are elected by legislators, many of whom practice (or are retained to practice) law and take fees from the firms they are pledged to regulate. And now the PSC staff bares itself unashamedly to the public, to defend Southern Bell. Where will this incestuous insanity end?

And when was the last time you heard about the S. C. Public Service Commission turning down a requested increase altogether? It has never happened.

The 17 percent increase recently requested by Bell and presently under consideration by the PSC flies in the face of recent reports that show American Telephone and Telegraph (AT&T) -- the Bell System's parent corporation -- has made a record one billion dollars profit in each of its last two quarters.

When commission staff members take it upon themselves to nit-pick about obvious wrongdoing in the upper echelons of Bell -- especially in the midst of this controversial rate hike hearing -- it gives good cause to wonder whose on the public's side in this case. There is little doubt that the commission will dream up enough reasons to grant Bell as much or more than they expected to get to begin with if the PSC's record in the past is any indication of the future.

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Mr. Unopioniated speaks out ... loudly

George Gallup, Democrats have always felt (with Jimmy Carter the most recent convert), is so conservative that his influential

opinion polls generally reflect a Republican bias. Many national Dems have suggested testily that his salary at the American Institute of Public Opinion should be at least partially paid by the Republican Party.

For instance, in our most recent electoral nightmare, Gallup predicted that Gerald Ford would win — or at least was ahead at the time of the last poll — by about one percent of the vote. Lou Harris, generally conceded to be more favorable to the Dems, said Carter was up by one. And a PBS survey on the Sunday before the election gave Carter a three-point edge, which eventually proved to be right on the money.

Well, nobody knows how George votes when he pulls the curtain behind him, but the usually reticent pollster did take advantage of an opportunity the other day to deliver some views of his own on the American press and national and international broadcasting.

"I think in this era of investigative reporting and so on, his (the journalists') job is digging out the dirt. I am not even certain this is good journalism," said Gallup of the press that has revealed such dirt as the Pentagon Papers, Watergate, and the CIA and FBI revelations in the recent "era."

Gallup said, "I think we have credibility and that's important, but it's credibility for what end? I mean, what in the hell good is credibility if you don't go on to try to tell people what is good? I believe that if a foreigner, someone in Europe or Africa, read The New York Times every day, I'm not at all certain he wouldn't have a much worse opinion of the United States than he would otherwise."

It's Gallup's opinion that "because of the press you get the impression that the U. S. is a crime-ridden country. You get a picture of a lot of chaos in the labor-management world. You get a picture of confrontation, political confrontation. You get a picture that is not a very good one and, I believe, will do more harm than good. In fact, I've often thought, wouldn't . . people have a better opinion of the United States if they never listened one minute?"

Ah, yes, George, wouldn't that be nice ...

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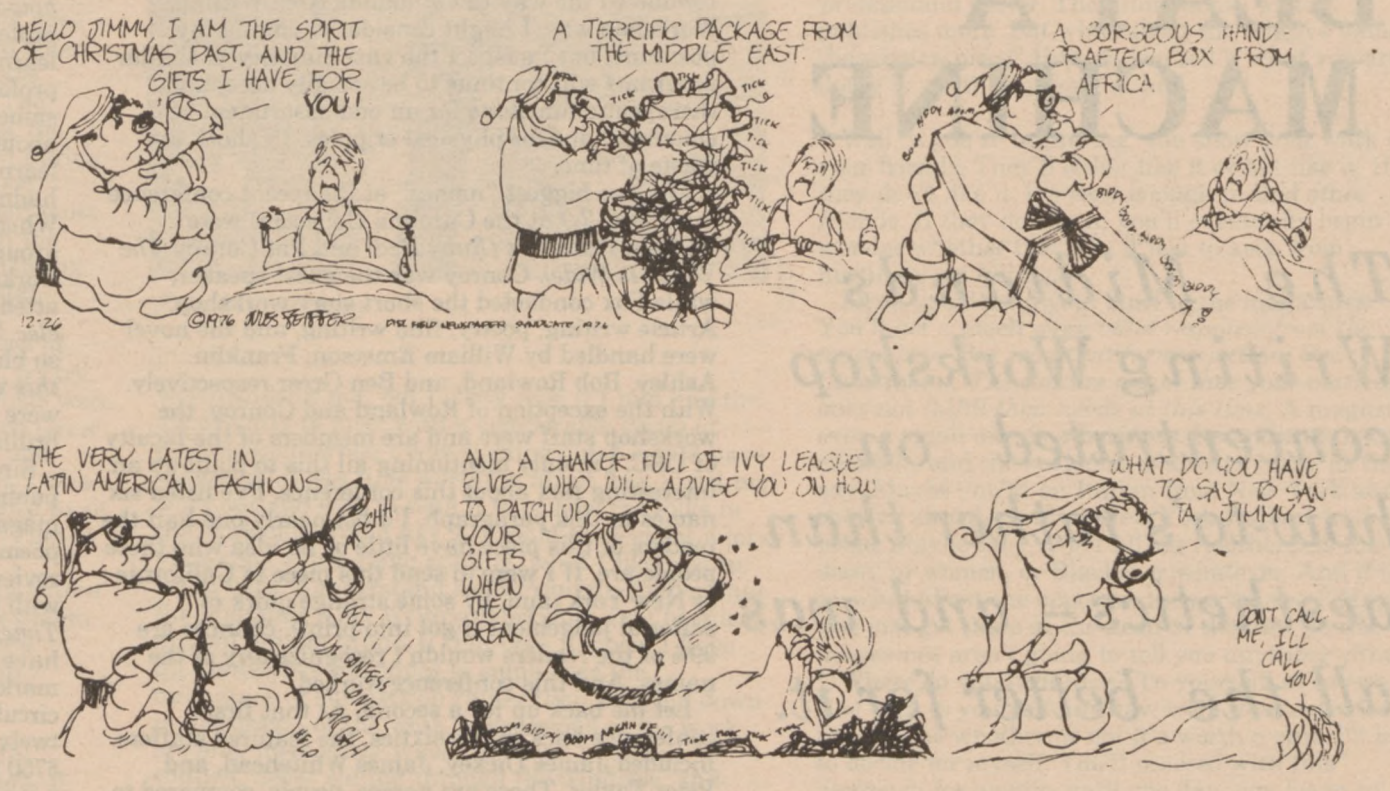
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Dear Sirs:

In his generally erroneous essay (Osceola, Nov. 26), Mr. Meadows submits to the truth only in his choice of a conservative economic review as his source of authority. Now that bitter experience has exposed the fallacies of liberal economic policies, Mr. Meadows does well to attempt to affix conservative approval to his slanderous attack on conservatives who denounce deficit spending. To refute Mr. Meadows, however, we need only apply the basic insights worked out by free market economic thinkers over the past century.

Whether a federal budget deficit results from current or past legislation by Congress, the purchasing power to cover the deficit must come from the economy, and if the money is borrowed in the regular loan markets, loanable funds will become more scarce to businesses. The interest rate will go up, or if it was going down to begin with, it will not go down as far as it was going down to begin with, it will not go down as far as it would have gone. The businessmen who "were in no shape to borrow", might well have been in shape to borrow at lower rates than prevailed. Just as a man can be sick without having a fever, so the economy can suffer from government deficit spending without having rising interest rates or a rising consumer price index.

In fairness to Mr. Meadows we have to admit that it is theoretically possible to have a government deficit without inflicting harm on the economy, but this is a very remote possibility which bears no relevance to present-day political realities.

Nearly all of the rapidly rising federal deficits of recent times have resulted from welfare-oriented government interventions in the economy, and these interventions have been proven disastrous by their results, which include inflation-producing deficits. Conservative economic thinkers are against deficit spending because it is a chief means to government economic intervention, as well as a chief result of such intervention in the economy.

This well-intentioned meddling is always harmful, and one good way to begin to bring our socialist adventure to an orderly halt is to make balanced budgets a national policy. Hence, the wisdom of the conservative Republican position which Mr. Meadows unsuccessfully attempts to discredit.

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HOW TO BEAT A MACHINE

The Midlands Writing Workshop concentrated on how-to's rather than aesthetics -- and was all the better for it.

by Gary Ligi

The first writer's workshop I attended was held in 1968 or 9 at the University of South Carolina, and until last week I hadn't gone to another. In 1971, I almost went to Breadloaf until I threatened to take apart my thesis director and his wife at a cocktail party and *saute* them before the assembled guests. I probably could have gotten away with it if it weren't for the poisons in my system putting up a very effective wall between the real world and the deviant tortures wobbling through my skull.

After three full years of graduate writing workshops and a couple of years with the Arkansas and South Carolina poetry-in-the-schools programs, I don't think writing workshops are of any value to me or my work, nor would I recommend anyone who writes strictly for the joy and experience of writing mess with them. If all workshops were conducted the way the Midlands Area Writing Workshop was, I might consider changing my positions, but I suspect the vast majority of similar programs will continue to be socially acceptable therapeutic funcitons for an odd assortment of emotional and/or physical cripples. In short, a waste of time.

The two biggest "names" at the recent conference (held Dec. 7-9 at the Carolina Coliseum) were William Price Fox *(Ruby Red)* and Pat Conroy *The Water Is Wide).* Conroy was the guest speaker, while Fox conducted the short story workshop. Article writing, poetry, film writing, and the novel were handled by William Emerson, Franklin Ashley, Bob Rowland, and Ben Greer respectively. With the exception of Rowland and Conroy, the workshop staff were and are members of the faculty of USC. I'm only mentioning all this to point up an interesting fact about this conference. I've listed six names in this paragraph. I'd bet nearly one half the readers of this piece have little or no idea who these people are. If I were to send this piece to California or New York (and, by some strange quirk of editorial judgement it got into print), chances are 99% of the readers wouldn't recognize *any* of the names. And this conference worked.

Let me back up for a second. At that first conference back in the sixties, the featured staffers included James Dickey, James Whitehead, and Peter Taylor. These are *names,* people, compared to the group for the Midlands Writing Workshop. Dickey could even be called a heavyweight on the basis of *Buckdancer's Choice* and his earlier work, even if everything he has done since then is swill, and even if everything he does from here on out continues to be swill. When I applied for Breadloaf, I did so because of the names that would be there. I figured, as I suppose most people would figure, that being close to the names would in some magical way get my work in front of the same audience the names got their work in front of. This is the same kind of thing that drives young girls backstage at concerts. The aura of celebrity will in some way make one's life more meaningful, or at least more livable and sometimes even worth talking about.

But here's the rub: at the time of my first workshop, I had published a few terrible poems in a couple of terrible magazines. I was working on a book called *Marvin and the River Pirates.* I'm not sure now how much of this is true, but I really enjoyed writing and was more interested in learning *how* to perfect my writing than how to be a professional writer. It wasn't until much later that I learned there reallly was a difference between the professional and non-professional writer, about the same time I learned you couldn't learn anything about writing from the workshop situation. You learn by reading and writing, plain and simple. I hadn't learned that workshops were a waste of time. When Dickey, in his opening remarks to the poetry group, read or quoted from a Vonnegut article about workshops in general and the kinds of people who attend them, I said: *he's talking about somebody else.* The stereotypical list was so cool and caustic, so blunt and black, *all* the participants agreed that *this* workshop just had to be different: after all, we were there, each of us the most misunderstood and brilliant genius of his or her generation.

Since then, I've given up on my generation. I've published more than a hundred poems in sixty magazines, some good, some atrocious (both the poems and the mags). My articles, stories, plays, reviews, and essays have appeared frequently, but with the exception of *Osceola, The Ozark Mountain Times,* and *The Grapevine* (newspapers for which I have worked), nothing I've done has been for a market. Most of the places I've published have circulations hovering around a 1000 copies. In twelve years of steady writing, I've earned less than $750 from my work, two-thirds of that coming from a single play production which ran fifteen minutes on National Public Radio. The total payment for my first collection of poetry (a chapbook from Peaceweed Press) was 25 copies of the 300 copy run. I am publishing and printing my first book length collection of poetry myself, and though sections of *Marvin and the River Pirates* have appeared here and there, it is far from finished.

This is evidence enough, I think, that I am not a professional writer. I had thought at one time, of course, I wanted to be a professional writer and even tried to be. As it ends up, if the fault is in ourselves that we are anything, then too the strength or weakness to see that fault through to completion is also there. My weakness is I write for

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myself, and my strength, the refusal to accept any authority as regards my work which does not originate from within. I like to get my work out in front of an audience for the praise or condemnation, but what audience I have earned is accidental, not incidental, to my work.

Okay. All that said, why did the Midlands Area Writing Workshop work? For one, it was too short to degenerate to the "in-depth" critical dribble which usually dominates such workshops. The entire conference lasted only three evenings, the first of which was taken up with a reception during which I added to my already dangerous blood alcohol content to such an extent that I spent most of Pat Conroy's welcoming speech sitting in the bleachers of the empty, unlit arena contemplating death in general and my inevitable accidental suicide in particular. The conference per se (Wednesday and Thursday evening) consisted of one hour per night blocks of article writing, poetry, short short writing, and film writing. Novelists were given individual conferences to talk with Ben Greer about their work. An hour isn't much time, and most of the sessions went beyond their limit. I was there as a reporter, not a participant, so I tried to sit in for awhile on each of the sessions. I didn't get in to talk with Greer, and I ended up missing Rowland's film writing session while talking with a former student from Kershaw from my Arts Comm days who, at sixteen, was attending a writer's conference and publishing a small fanzine in Lexington.

But of what I did get to see, I'll say this: the participants were told more about the how-to's of publishing and/or writing for a market in two nights than I'd gotten in three years of weekly workshops at the graduate level. I can think of only three people in my entire life whose suggestions concerning my work have helped me in any way. Yet every workshop situation I have found myself in has brought together up to fifty people who all had something to say about everyone's work. I wish now that even half of all those wasted hours had been spent with people talking about how to get your work out in front of an audience, rather than how to make a poem or a story acceptable to the very limited audience any given workshop represents. When I approached Mr. Emerson about the distinction between the professional and the non-commercial writer, he didn't say: "All writers are commercial or they're bad writers". He said: "I'm talking about writing for a market, bread and butter writing. Questions of aesthetics and personal writing belong somewhere else." If I ever hear even a similar statement about purpose of a writer's course *anywhere*, I'd remember it.

I don't know if the conference was a success or not. I don't know who goes about determining such things. I don't know if the participants found it

Franklin Ashley

worthwhile or not, but I'll say this: if I had had the opportunity to meet with a comparable group of professionals when I was starting out, I would have wasted a lot less time worrying about how to get my work out and who to send it to or how the folks in the workshop would like it. I could have spent a lot more time writing and reading, what I like best to begin with. I understand from Franklin Ashley that the Midlands Area Writing Workshop may be made into an annual affair. If that does happen, I hope the conference continues to emphasize the mechanics of submission rather than bogging down in discussion of the work. Discussions of the work are only memorable when they lead to armed conflict, desks sailing through the windows, and broken bones. Most discussions end up ranging too far from the impulse which began the piece to begin with.

I liked it. It was informative. It was low-key. And for those who attended or those who may be thinking of attending a similar workshop, let me just pass along the following argument: the best you can expect to get from a workshop are the little things. How to submit your work for publication, how to write a cover letter, where to go to find an agent, etc. You won't learn how to write. Michael Yates, a Canadian writer (*Nobody Speaks for the Blue Moraines*) put it this way: It's easy to distinguish between the professional and the non-professional writer. The professional writer publishes more. But what about the relative value of the written piece? How do you tell if what you are doing is worth anything at all?

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Well, if you're beginning, you show your work to your friends. They'll either like it or not like it. If they don't like it, it's easy enough to find other friends. If they do like it, you'll eventually begin to wonder whether they like it just to keep from hurting your feelings.

Next, you'll send your stuff to the magazines. You'll get a much more *valid response from the magazines. But read that form rejection: Dear Contributor, The Editors regret that your materials does not fulfill their needs at this time.* A magazine, even a small one, is a business. Its audience is its clientele, and the customer is always right, as they say. Maybe you're an Italian from New York and they've already got two New York Italians in the issue. Maybe they've got all the Southerners they want, or women, or Blacks, or whatever. And if this is, what about the opposite, the acceptance? Maybe you just got there at the head of the line. So the magazines aren't going to tell you anything either.

Where do you turn then? To yourself, of course. You turn to yourself and say: well, if nobody else can tell me whether or not it's worth a shit, I'll have to decide for myself. You'll proceed with this approach for awhile, until one day, you begin to realize how much of your time is taken up with unconscious activities: getting dressed, eating, eating, brushing teeth, combing hair, washing the clothes, paying the bills, *ad nauseum*. Well now, if I spend all this time not thinking about anything at all, how can I be sure I'm really thinking when I say I'm thinking and not just going through the motions? I can't, of course. There's no way to know if anything has any value. I'll go to my death not knowing.

Art, someone said, arises from the fusion of entertainment and enlightenment. In a bar in Lancaster one night, I walked through a folk poem while obliterating myself with beer and pinball. I'd already lost four or five dollars and had trouble wading to and fro the crapper without getting beaten by the pool players for bumping into their cues. "Boy," the old man told me, "You ought to have more sense than to mess with something backs its ass against the wall and takes on the whole world." The only difference between a machine and a rat is you have to go to a lot of trouble to corner a rat, even though the rat's a hell of a lot easier to beat than a machine.

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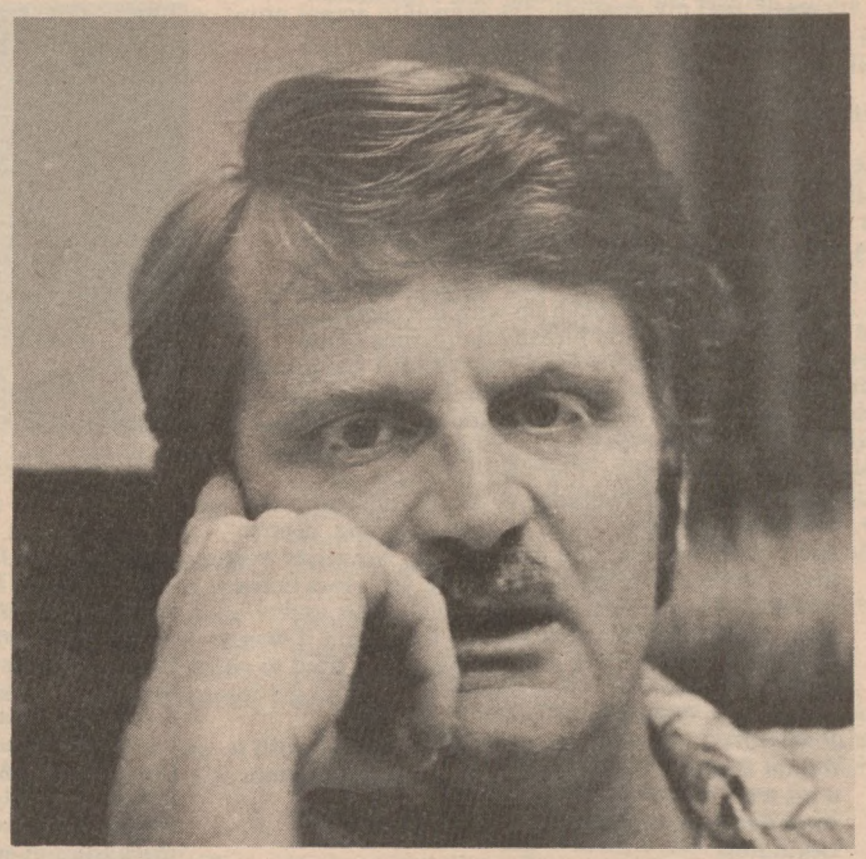

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that Sinway Young hasn't been much help.

Of some 90,000 eligible union members statewide, locals representing only about one-third of those workers are affiliated with the Labor Council. The rest have chosen not to affiliate or to disaffiliate out of indifference or outright hostility to Young's regime. Opponents charged Young made no attempt to expand the Council because he felt to do so would threaten his control.

Young was accused of high-handed and arbitrary tactics as Labor Council president, and maintaining what amounted to a "sweetheart" arrangement with establishment, Old Guard Democratic leaders. He was openly hostile toward the news media; Labor Council activities were secretive, and what publicity they got was predictably negative.

But whatever else could be said of Young, no one could deny his political capabilities — at least within the province of the Labor Council. He was able to overcome his opposition time and again. On September 25, however, he was finally defeated in a bid for re-election. The opposition to Young, growing for some time, gained significant momentum since 1974, and was finally able to coalesce around the candidacy of Young's last and most effective challenger, Jim Adler.

President Adler also serves as state director for the Communications Workers of America (CWA). With 11 locals in the state, CWA is second in membership only to the new Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers Union. Not long after his arrival here in 1972, Adler's assessment of the deteriorating situation at the Labor Council led to his involvement with the "reform" forces within the Council. He ultimately agreed to challenge Young this year, and after a tough campaign, defeated him decisively at the Council convention.

Adler's victory was well received, to say the least, by progressives and reformers in the Democratic Party who see in him a strong ally and leader. He does not lack enthusiasm for his new role, and seems ready for the challenges he knows are coming up.

Adler is originally from Wisconsin, where he broke in with C.W.A. He's filled C.W.A. staff assignments all over the country. Before coming to Columbia, he was in charge of eastern North Carolina.

He's a yankee — tall, red-haired, Catholic, and he's got a heavy Wisconsin accent that sounds like Henry Fonda now and then. At age 43, father of five children, he's pretty much the picture of a middle-everything American. He's not a fire-belcher by any stretch.

He seems confident, unpretentious, at ease. Talking with him quickly reveals a seasoned, informed awareness of his environment, and a strong sense of commitment to go with his informality.

It's going to be interesting to watch Jim Adler do his thing in South Carolina. I talked with him in his office at state C.W.A. headquarters in Columbia.

——*Tim Rogers*

TR: Why did you decide to run for President of the state Labor Council?

JA: My view in the four years I had been (in South Carolina) was that Labor was regressing rather than progressing. I couldn't see any positive move toward the future. People were complacent. There was no real incentive to belong to the (Council). It was poorly organized. Something had to be done. News media, politicians, the general public just weren't getting the message that they should have been getting from the movement.

TR: Were there institutional reasons for all that, or was it just a matter of leadership?

JA: Well, first of all, my concept and that of my predecessor are 180 degrees different. My concept is to get everybody possible involved in the operation. My predecessor didn't look at it that way. He ran more of a dictatorship, rather than to try (to encourage) total involvement. And I think this is what hurts. The job is much bigger than a one-man operation, or -- you know, just a handful of people.

Hopefully, in this transition we're going through, we can pick up a lot of people that didn't see fit to affiliate (before). We're going to have a campaign of "organizing the organized" by going out and trying to get these people affiliated.

TR: Was it to anyone's advantage to keep the Labor Council small and weak?

JA: I can see where some people may have maintained that level for self-preservation.

TR: Right after the election, in an article in The State, Sinway Young was quoted as pledging himself very much to the unity of the labor movement in the state. But subsequent actions he's taken would seem to indicate he's harboring some ill will. Obviously the first thing you're going to have to face is getting some degree of unity or tolerance within the Council itself. Is that going to be difficult?

JA: Going back to answer your first question....After 21 years, understandably it's a hard transition for the man to make. You know, I understand his position.

The unity will come. I have no fears. You can already see the positive steps being made. People realize that the (Labor Council) election is now behind us, and that there will not be another election for two years. We have pressing problems that we must face right now that are more critical than worrying about what's in the past. Come 18 months from now, (someone might be) opposing me. That's the name of the game. That's democracy in action. My only contention is that hopefully we as a group will work together now to benefit the labor movement in South Carolina.

TR: What do you say to non-affiliated locals to convince them to join?

JA: We're going to approach it very logically: this is our program, these are our goals. In order for Labor to move ahead, Labor has to be unified.

We're going to have a solid program: an immediate plan, a short-range program, and a long-range program. The Council needs a full-time staff. The Council needs a full-time presidency. Perhaps we need to build our own (headquarters) facilities. Everywhere we look there are possibilities.

TR: We talked about there being little publicity concerning the labor movement in South Carolina generally, and the Council specifically -- despite a lot of newsworthy things that have been going on. Are you concerned about public image, or the lack of one?

JA: This subject has fascinated me. I have never been able to really rationalize the position of my predecessor. For instance, at the (Labor Council) convention, a reporter from Greenville wanted to attend -- just to be in the hall, and observe what was going on. He was bodily removed.

Of course, the first question raised is, what have you got to hide? Nothing. Everything that was going on in there, the (reporter) was already well aware of, and everything was documented. I don't know why this position was taken.

My personal opinion is that one of the downfalls of the labor movement in South Carolina is due to this kind of an attitude. My position is a completely open-door policy. Anybody that wants it has access to our meetings. (Executive sessions should only be allowed) in appropriate circumstances. One of the problems we've faced in the past has been that we haven't been able to get our side of the story into the news media. I expect, I want publicity.

TR: You're saying that your bad relations with the press has played into the hands of anti-labor elements?

JA: I can't say where the blame lies outside the last couple of years. But we have not sought out the publicity. I know you've got to do that sometimes. I also know you can get burned, misquoted, and sometimes the article is not even close....I understand this and so do my people. We're going to take our lumps. But we have to be heard. We have to get our story out. Maybe (something) happened in the past that made people a little gun-shy. But that hasn't been my experience. We've had some fairly decent reports from the news media -- to my surprise, I might add. I'm very pleased with this.

TR: I'd like to get a little more into your view of the Labor Council's role. Why is it needed? What should it be doing?

JA: The Labor Council is the union of unions in South Carolina. The Labor Council is the political arm of all (affiliated) locals. Our job is to coordinate activities in the state to achieve maximum effectiveness. Our legislative program includes issues that are not only of interest to organized working people, but to all the people of South Carolina.

TR: Your efforts include lobbying and getting involved in electoral politics ...

JA: They go hand in hand. We'll be lobbying, coordinating with different groups, forming coalitions. There are tremendous possibilities as far as coalitions are concerned. There are many groups that are already extremely active. Women's groups. Blacks. Disadvantaged. Disabled. The Brown Lung people. These are groups that are already functioning and have many of the same goals we're after. By building coalitions, we're in a better position to be effective.

TR: I take it you're mostly dissatisfied with the record of the General Assembly.

JA: I don't think the legislature has been as responsive to the people as they might have been. I think they have been more responsive to special interest groups. Much of the blame here, I think, must

fall on our own shoulders. We could have been much more organized and more effective, and if (we had been), perhaps the legislature would have been more responsive on these issues.

But the legislature generally in South Carolina has been more business - oriented than people - oriented. I think we're beginning to see a change in that. (Overall), I'm pleased with how the elections went. Come January, I hope we're going to see the legislature more responsive to the needs of the people.

TR: What is the future of the labor movement in the South, in South Carolina? Do you see it becoming more of a factor than in the past? Do you see the movement gaining more acceptance among working people?

JA: I think the greatest move toward unionism in the South has occured over the last eight years ... especially over the last few years when this "recession" was at its height. I think the Republican (national administration deserves) a great deal of the credit ...

We're on the threshold of a brand new day in South Carolina and in the southeast. We've been having this tremendous industrialization. But people are becoming aware that the companies are coming here and the profits are going elsewhere. (The profits) are not staying here; their (workers') children are not benefitting. I think people are saying, "if we're going to work in these plants, then we want our fair share."

Our work force has changed drastically over (recent) years. Over 50 percent of our work force in this country is now 28 years old or younger; 30 percent are women. I think both of these groups have seen a new day and aren't going to be tolerant of past practices. They expect a new day, they are demanding it, and they will get it.

Look at the (national) election. (Republicans) made an all-out, life-or-death issue of "right-to-work" and "big labor." George Meany was virtually going to come down and run the state if Carter and crew got in. You know, every 15 minutes they were on there hammering away — big labor, big labor. Well, Carter got an overwhelming percentage. So apparently the people of South Carolina aren't too concerned about it anymore. It isn't the issue anymore that the Strom Thurmonds, the Floyd Spences, the Roger Millikens would like it to be.

We're also seeing (more sophisticated) industry coming in, which normally pays better than average wages, and normally is organized throughout the country.

TR: There has been a lot of discussion lately about bigness, unresponsiveness, and even corruption within various elements of the organized labor establishment (nationally). We're hearing about union democracy, and revolts springing up within certain internationals. Is the labor movement going to be able to clean up its own house, and doesn't that really have to happen in order for the movement to accomplish the kinds of things you want it to?

JA: The labor movement has gotten big, and we are going to have problems that (inevitably) come with our size. But things are changing. We're going through a transition.

One factor is that too often we've been addressing 1976 problems with 1955 solutions. We have a tendency to get into a rut. (The aging process has something to do with that.) As we grow older — we may have been young and dynamic at one time, but we mellow with age. This has happened within the labor movement.

But we're going to be seeing some changes. I think we're going to be seeing some changes in 1977 in the top leadership within the AFL-CIO. I think Meany (national AFL-CIO president George Meany) has indicated he's looking seriously at stepping down. Abel (Steelworkers president and top Meany supporter I. W. Abel) is leaving. He and his board are retiring next year at their convention. Throughout all Labor we're seeing (a changing of the guard). (We're generating) new leadership that doesn't have that Depression stigma. (Our new leaders) are people who came up (later), they have different approaches to problems, and they are a lot more receptive (to change) than were their predecessors.

The rank-and-file, the young, the women within the labor movement are demanding that we be more responsive to the people — to the grass roots. (They're demanding changes in) servicing — so you get more input from the grass roots. Instead of just shooting down the answers from up top and that's that, they are saying that we must have feed-back from the grass roots. The same is happening in government as well. I think the last election proved that.

TR: Getting back to South Carolina ... In the past few years, within the Democratic Party there have been developing the beginnings of a new progressive, reform faction. Do you identify personally with these newer elements within the party? Will the Labor Council be playing a role in this phenomenon?

JA: Well, look at my own background. In 1972, I was South Carolina Labor coordinator for Senator McGovern. That wasn't a very popular role at the time. I'm very pleased to say that I was deeply involved with the (Pug) Ravenel campaign (for Governor in 1974).

I believe the party in South Carolina must take a good hard look at itself. There's a lot of room for change. Some of these younger people coming up may be considered young renegades, or — you know, thorns in the side of the establishment, but they're necessary. I think the Democratic Party (has gotten into) a rut. That means there's a void between (the leadership) and the grass roots. They're not responsive enought to the grass roots. And once the grass roots gets disenchanted, you're in trouble.

Ravenel was the young renegade; he wasn't supposed to be able to do anything. The power structure was totally against him. They were supposed to be able to put the foot on the lid and squelch (Ravenel). Well, it didn't happen. Because the people (were ready for him). And I think that unless the party looks at itself very closely and makes some drastic changes — following the concepts that were laid down during the Ravenel campaign — this party is in trouble.

TR: You've been identified with a coalition that would seek to replace the current chairman of the Democratic Party of South Carolina (Don Fowler). Would you like to see someone else occupy that post?

JA: Well, I think you can get to a point (in a job) where you reach the zenith, and from that point on, it's a downhill slide. I think Don has fulfilled this job to his utmost, and I think we're at a point where we're due for some changes.

Now, I'm not (just) against Don Fowler. I think that Don Fowler is just a spokesman for a group of people. Don catches all the flack, but he's just reflecting what some other people want. Now I'm saying that not only Fowler, but some of the rest of them had better stop and analyze and re-evaluate and make some drastic changes or else they -- the whole group and not just Don Fowler -- are in trouble, and we also in the Democratic Party are in trouble.

Jim Adler on the issues

If you ask Jim Adler, "What are the issues?", you get a comprehensive response that clearly places him within the progressive-reform span of South Carolina's political spectrum. He talks about process reform, economic reform, priority spending for social needs. Four characteristic "on the issues" quotes follow.

On inflation, wage rates and unemployment: "Our (labor's) purchasing power has slipped. Our purchasing power is less now than it was in 1965. How are we responsible for inflation?

"(The nation's) industrial capacity is only functioning now at 80 percent. As you know, when things run at full capacity, prices are cheapest. As the percentage goes down, prices go up.

"We've got millions of people not working; it's costing this government something like 17 billion dollars a year to have them sitting around idle. We've got to get our work force back to work, and (get production up), and we can stop inflation. In most instances, labor is the cheapest cost factor (in production)."

On state sales taxes: "Our people in the state of South Carolina rank forty-ninth in per capita income (in the nation). We're very, very low. So a great percentage of many people's income must go for basics — like food. Yet we've got a sales tax on food.

"And drugs. Look at the disabled who have to have (medication), and are paying sales taxes on drugs.

"Now, if we were all making $50,000 a year, maybe it wouldn't be so bad. But many of our people fall right on the poverty level. Now it may not sound like too much, but when you're paying four cents on the dollar and you don't have too many dollars, that's a high percentage to pay. That's a terrible penalty to pay. There are better ways to get money. This is an issue that is not only important to members of unions, but ought to concern all the people of South Carolina."

On public employees' organizing, collective bargaining: "In the private sector, (labor contract) negotiations has sharpened business. They've had to trim a lot of fat to remain competitive. I think negotiations in the public sector (could have the same result).

"There's been a great to-do about strikes and closing down everything, you know. There are solutions to these problems. They can be worked out Ninety-nine percent of all negotiations go through without any hitches. No headlines in any newspapers.

"We ought to be looking elsewhere and seeing some of the problems (other state and local governments) have gotten themselves into, start evaluating our position and make some changes. We don't have to follow the paths of some of these other ones (where there has been disruption), but we do have to realize that we live in 1976 and we do have some problems. This business of "I'm not gonna talk to you, I don't have to talk to you," isn't solving any problems in the Columbia police department. We've got problems there, and you can stick your head in the sand for as long as you want, but when you pull it out, those problems are still going to be there. The quicker you solve the problems, the easier it is and the less diruption you (risk)."

On "14-b" and agency shop: ("14-b" refers to federal legislation which okays state "right-to-work" laws. Those statutes, including one in effect in South Carolina, outlaw any provision in a labor contract stating that only union members can work in a "shop", or that all "shop" employees must at least pay assessments to the union to defray representation costs. Labor has been pushing for repeal of "14-b" at the national level, and at the state level, for enactment of legislation authorizing "agency shop" contract clauses.)

"We (Labor) have lived with (the 'right-to-work' law). We don't like it. It's a shame. But we have been able to live with it. All the agonizing comes from business -- about what would happen if they lost 14-b.

"I was over at USC the other day, and someone asked, would business be compelled to go out and hire women, minorities and 'incompetents' if 14-b were repealed? Of course, 14-b has nothing to do with any of that. But that's the kind of misinformation that's floating around.

"14-b puts (a labor union) in a real peculiar situation. We're required by federal law to represent all the people in a plant (where the union has won a representation election and negotiated a contract). Every last one of them. Yet (the 'right-to-work' law allows workers) not to pay for representation. Now, the whole concept of democratic government is taxation for representation. We have (forced) representation without taxation.

"It's human nature for some people to say, why should I pay for it when I can get it for nothing?' They fail to recognize that by doing this, they dilute their own strength. But people are selfish. Ask any church. There are a whole bunch of people who want to participate, but how many of them believe in tithing?

("Agency shop" legislation would okay a contract clause requiring "shop" workers at least to pay an assessment to defray costs of representation.) "Agency shop is what we're asking for, which states that people pay for what they get. I've never seen anything, you know...go across the street to Dutch Square, and you're not going to get anything for nothing over there. Agency shop simply (requires everyone to pay a fair share) for negotiating and handling contracts, arbitration, and other essential services."

Films

Kong, the romantic

In its ceaseless drive to make the big score at the box office, Hollywood has finally gotten around to fiddling with some of those supposedly untouchable chestnuts out of the movie past. This is less an issue with a film like the upcoming Streisand-Kristofferson "A Star is Born" -- probably no one has a warm spot in their heart for the 1954 Judy Garland version, a drag circuit classic--but the squawks of protest over the new "King Kong" are surely but a foretaste of what will be said about the projected Zanuck-Brown "The Continuation of Gone With the Wind." We have had comments ranging from Tom Shales on National Public Radio, attacking this crass rip-off of the work of artists and Newsweek's Jack Kroll paying tribute to the original's "mythic innocence," to argumentative Doug Nye in the Columbia Record,

"...poor Kong, with the hots for Fav Wray and unable to do anything about it, trampled natives, fought dinosaurs, and ended up climbing the greatest phallic symbol of his era..."

lamenting his bygone days at the Bijou and the fact that no one has any respect for his childhood memories. Ole Doug suggested that the idea of *a remake of "King Kong"* made him a little bit sick to his stomach and ended by stating "Thank goodness the Sistine Chapel was not a movie."

This keening for "art" is mostly horse exhaust. The '33 "Kong" isn't any more of a work of art than "Gone With the Wind," and while it was undoubtly less commercial than Dino De Laurentiis' clunky investment, its "innocence" was altogether in the

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A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 13, 1976
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A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 13, 1976
1/14

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Claude Riley Emerson, Executor of the estate of Lucile Wilkinson Emerson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 13th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 13, 1976
1/14

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ada Lee S. Bundy, Executrix of the estate of John M. Bundy, Sr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 20th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 20, 1976
1/14

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Robbie A. Walker, Executrix of the estate of Pervis Walker, Deceased. has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 20th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 20, 1976
1/14

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Richard M. Roeder, Executor of the estate of Pearle R. Wilson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 20th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 20, 1976
1/14

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Robert K. Haile, Executor of the estate of Mary Esther Haile, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 21st day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 21, 1976
1/14

SUMMONS

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
In The Court Of Common Pleas

Georgianna Hall, Edith Johnson, Ernest Scott & Thelma Renwick,
Plaintiffs,

-vs-

Tina Green Duckett, Daisy Green, Kathleen Whitlock, John Scott, Ora Mae Murray, Martha Dove, Mary Wilson, Andrew Lovette, Jr., Sally Jones, Lena Grant, Willie Lovett, Helen Hall, & Betty Hall, and if all or any of them be dead, then the Heirs-at-Law, Devisees, or Distributees of the above named Defendants, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, interest in or lien upon the real estate described in the Complaint herein; any unknown adults being as a class designated as John Doe, and any unknown minors or persons under other legal disability being as a class designated as Richard Roe,
Defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in this action which was filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County on September 11, 1974, which is situated in the City of Columbia, and, if you fail to cause notice of appearance to be given to the subscribers at their offices located at 1224 Pickens Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201 and, in person or by an attorney, demand of them in writing a copy of the Complaint, specifying the place within the State where it may be served within twenty (20) days after the service hereof upon you, exclusive of the date of such service, or having given notice of appearance of having made a demand in writing for a copy of the Complaint, you should fail to answer the Complaint and serve a copy of said answer upon the subscribers at their said offices within twenty (20) days after the service of said Complaint upon you, exclusive of the day of service, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

LIS PENDENS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an action has been commenced and is now pending in the Court upon the Complaint of the above named Plaintiffs against the above named Defendants for the sale and division of the proceeds of certain real property more fully described as follows:

a. All that certain piece, parcel or lot of land, situate, lying and being near Eastover, containing 10.65 acres and being bounded on the Northeast by parcel whose ownership is unknown and by Emma J. Green, et al; on the Southeast by lot now or formerly of Estate of Champion Fay; on the South by tract now or formerly of Leonard T. Shannon; and the West by lot now or formerly of Leonard T. Shannon; and on the Northwest by lot now or formerly of Hattie Hill.

b. All that certain piece, parcel or lot of land, situate, lying and being near Eastover, containing eleven (11) acres and being bounded on the Northeast by lot now or formerly of Ernest and Fannie Scott; on the Southeast by lots now or formerly of William H. Hodge and Oliver H. Tucker; on the Southwest by lot nor or formerly of Rhudine Echols and on the Northwest by lot now or formerly of Lelia Morris.

BY: J. KEVIN HOLMES,
Attorney At Law
Columbia, South Carolina
December 1, 1976
12/24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Everett J. Steckel, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Mae S. Steckel, Executrix
Route 5, Box 40
Columbia, S. C. 29203
Columbia, S. C.
December 14, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Rachel M. Hay, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

T. Moffatt Burriss,
Administrator
c/o William K. Easterling, Attorney
1412 Bull Street
Columbia, S. C. 29201
Columbia, S. C.
December 14, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Eugene Bookman, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

J. Alvin J. Hammer,
Administrator
c/o Isadore S. Bernstein, Atty.
1019 Assembly Street
Columbia, S. C. 29201
Columbia, S. C.
December 13, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Ernest P. Jenerette, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ruby J. Jenkins,
Administratrix
c/o G. R. McElveen, Atty.
Suite 900, Barringer Bldg.
Columbia, S. C. 29201
Columbia, S. C.
December 14, 1976
12/31

SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
County of Charleston
IN THE FAMILY COURT
JEANETTE GRANT
Plaintiff

-vs-

SAMUEL BENJAMIN GRANT
1727 Williams Street
Columbia, S. C.
Defendant.

TO: THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in this action, a copy of which is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said Complaint on the subscribers at their office located at 119 Spring Street, Charleston, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

NEIGHBORHOOD LEGAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, INC.
CLEVELAND STEVENS
ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF
Charleston, South Carolina
Dated: February 6, 1975.

TO: THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED: TAKE NOTICE that the original of the Summons and Complaint in the above captioned cause were filed in the Office of the Clerk for the Family Court of Charleston County on the 12th day of February, 1975.

NEIGHBORHOOD LEGAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, INC.
BY: Cleveland Stevens
Attorney for Plaintiff
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Thomas H. Scholl, Executor of the estate of Harold Isadore Scholl, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 30th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 30, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that John Quincy Adams, Executor of the estate of Rosa Mae Manley Adams, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 29th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 29, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Joseph E. Whitmire, Administrator of the estate of John Woodson Whitmire, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 29th day of November 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 29, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Lorraine M. Long, Guardian of the estate of Abbie Anne Hill, Minor, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 29th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 29, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Mamie B. Napier, Executrix of the estate of Earl R. Napier, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 29th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 29, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Roberta E. Shannon, Administratrix of the estate of William Stanley Shannon, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 29th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 29, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Corine Barnett, Administratrix of the estate of Jesse Barnett, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 17th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 15, 1976
1/14

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Betty Pennington Stowe, Executrix of the estate of Wade Parks Stowe, Jr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 27th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Mary Helen Livingston, Executrix of the estate of Kenneth Kinnon Moore, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 27th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 23, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that The C & S National Bank, Executor of the estate of Sarah Wray R. Page, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 27th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Virginia Cobia, Executrix of the estate of Mary Johnson Cobia, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 27th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Barbara Ann Hatten, Executrix of the estate of Morgan F. Hatten, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 27th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1976
12/24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Chloda P. Hughes deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Lewis C. Crouch, Executor
C/O Turner, Padget, Graham & Laney Attorneys at Law
P.O. Box 1473
Columbia, S.C.
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 20, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Frances Louise Gilbert deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Eugene P. Gilbert, Jr., Executor
3101 Gadsden Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 20, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of James D. Thomas deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Billie Haddon Thomas, Executrix
Post Office Box 627
Columbia, S.c. 29202
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 20th, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims agains the estate of Jesse Lawrence David deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Jesse Ray David, Executor
Route 1, Box 402,
Irmo, S.C.
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 20, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Jessie B. Radcliff deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Margaret Brown and Nettie S. Hord, Administratrices, CTA
C/O Albert L. Moses, Atty.
P.O. Drawer 447
Columbia, S. C. 29202
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 14, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Hazel Dempsey Price, Executrix of the estate of C. Bradley Price, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 14th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 14, 1976
1/14

Legal Notices

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that The Citizens and Southern National, Trustee of the estate of George D. Huiet, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Trustee; and that the 14th day of January 1977 at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 14, 1976
1/14

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Billie D. Daniel, Administratrix of the estate of Andrew Jackson Daniel, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 14th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.

December 14, 1976
1/14

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Armenia Tyler Jacques and Gertrude Tyler Little, Executrices of the estate of Winsel Jacques, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrices; and that the 17th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 16, 1976
1/14

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Charlie Williams, Jr., deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Bertha Mae Williams,
Administratrix
General Delivery
Eastover, S. C. 29044
Columbia, S. C.
December 16, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of T. O. Setzler, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

The South Carolina National Bank, Executor, Trust Dept.
P. O. Box 168
Columbia, S. C. 29202
Columbia, S. C.
December 16, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Carl H. Stender, Jr., deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Mrs. John S. Struhs and Carl H. Stender, III Executors
2910 Monroe Street
Columbia, S. C. 29205
Columbia, S. C.
December 16, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Annie J. Pearson, Administratrix of the estate of Thomas W. Pearson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Robert J. Derrick, Administrator of the estate of Flora Mae Daniels, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 2, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Alice Wilson Huntley, Executrix of the estate of Wilbon O. Huntley, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 10th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 8, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Rebecca Riley, Executrix of the estate of Madelyn B. Andrews, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 10th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 8, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Pauline Baker, Guardian of the estate of Robert Garrick Baker, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 10th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 8, 1977
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Harold m. Fitzgerald, Executor of the estate of Harry W. Turner, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 10th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 10, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Nora T. Smith, Executrix of the estate of Williard J. Smith, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 10th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 10, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Melvin L. Burton, Sr., Executor of the estate of I. C. Harrison, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 10th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M. at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
Decmeber 10, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Emma W. Cecil, Administratrix of the estate of Garland Ralph Cecil, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 10th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 10, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Kathleen V. Hodge, Administratrix of the estate of Allen J. Hodge, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 10th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 10, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Nicholas P. Poulos, Administrator of the estate of Cleomenes P. Poulos, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 7th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 7, 1976

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS William O. Fulmer has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Olivia Guental Fulmer, deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 29th day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/24

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Shelton W. Thrailkill has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Forrest Eugene Thrailkill deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 28th day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 9th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/24

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Harriett Shillinglaw has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Hattie Myrtle Barron deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 22nd day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Chloe Spradley Hallman deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Roscoe Samuel Hallman, Executor
c/o Jack R. Callison, Atty.
P.O. Box 225 West Columbia, S.C. 29169
Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1976
12/24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Eldridge C. Rhodes, Sr., deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Mary M. Rhodes, Executrix
118 King Street,
Columbia, S.C. 29205
Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1976
12/24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Robert J. Williamson deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Louise B. Williamson, Executrix
721 Tremont Avenue
Columbia, S.C. 29203
Columbia, S.C.
December 3rd, 1976
12/24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Phillip Goldman, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Bankers Trust Of S.C., Executor
P.O. Box 448
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
December 2, 1976
12/24

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Daisy F. Howell has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Luvenia Franklin deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 21st day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/24

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Daisy F. Howell has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Lucius Franklin, Sr., deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 21st day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 6th day of December, A .D., 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/24

SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY FAMILY COURT

Richland County Department of Social Services,
Petitioner,
-vs.-
Shelly Lynn Parker, a minor under the age of Fourteen Years
Janelle Parker and John Doe,
Respondent.

TO THE RESPONDENT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to answer the Petition herein, a copy of which is hereby served upon you, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Petition upon the subscriber at his office, 1303 Elmwood Avenue, City of Columbia, State of South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the Petition within the time aforesaid, the Petitioner in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Petition.

Kosko and Coffas
George C. Kosko
Attorneys for Petitioner
1303 Elmwood Avenue
Columbia, South Carolina 29201
Columbia, S. C.
March 4, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of William T. Styron, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Kathryn R. Styron, Executrix
c/o Davis and Brandon, Attys.
703 Security Federal Building
Columbia, S. C.
Columbia, S. C.
December 17, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Margaret Bryan Marion, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

D. W. Robinson, Executor
P. O. Box 944
Columbia, S. C. 29202
Columbia, S. C.
December 17, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Harry C. Reagan, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Frank A. Graham, Jr., Executor
707 Security Federal Building
Columbia, S. C. 29201
Columbia, S. C.
December 17, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Minida P. Richardson, Executrix of the estate of Josephine M. Richardson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 2, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Carlisle Roberts, Administrator of the estate of Allie McNeill, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Carlisle Roberts, Administrator CTA DBN of the estate of Ora McNeill, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that William D. Ott, Jr., Executor of the estate of Joe E. Boyer, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jerome Warren, Executor of the estate of Josephine S. Warren, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Robert L. Busby, Executor of the estate of O.L. Busby, aka O.L. Busbee, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Elizabeth Smith McCaskill, Executrix of the estate of Glen Dayton McCaskill, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 30th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 30, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Virginia T. Lingle, Executrix of the estate of Guy William Lingle, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 2, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of James Howell Thomas, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Irene LaGrone Thomas, Executrix
c/o Harold C. Seigler, Atty.
1735 St. Julian Place
Columbia, S. C. 29204
Columbia, S. C.
December 16, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Thelma Irene Cooper, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

George S. Harvey, Administrator
4008 Lamar Street
Columbia, S. C. 29203
Columbia, S. C.
December 17, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Agnes Corley deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Vernetta Davis Riley, Executrix
Route 1, Box 2
Irmo, S.C. 29603
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 7, 1976
1/7

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Rosa Lee Bennett has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of John H. Washington deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 3rd day of January 1977 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 17th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/31

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Pauline Jacobs Wallace has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Arthur L. Wallace deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 3rd day of January 1977 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 16th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/31

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Gary Paschal has applied to me for Letters of Administration, CTA, on the estate of Eugenia Adams Paschal deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 29th day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/31

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Margaret C. Cullum has applied to me for Letters of Administration, CTA, on the estate of Almina Clayton deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 29th day of Decemnber 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Eugene Simons, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

John L. Simons, Administrator
c/o Robert F. Fuller, Atty.
P. O. Box 58
Columbia, S. C. 29202
Columbia, S. C.
December 9, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Robert Lee Scarborough, Jr., deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Robert Lee Scarborough, Administrator
c/o Ray M. Seigler, Atty.
1735 St. Julian Place
Columbia, S. C. 29204
Columbia, S. C.
December 10, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Ralph M. Land, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Evelyn L. Lane. Executrix
c/o Joel E. Gottlieb, Atty.
P. O. Box 154
Columbia, S. C. 29202
Columbia, S. C.
December 10, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mattie Simons, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

John L. Simons, Administrator
c/o Robert F. Fuller, Atty.
P. O. Box 58
Columbia, S. C. 29202
Columbia, S. C.
December 9, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Maxine Syerson Dickey, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

James Lafayette Dickey, III, Executor
c/o Kirkman Finlay, Jr., Atty.
1250 SCN Center
Columbia, S. C. 29201
Columbia, S. C.
December 8, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Pauline Medlin, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Frances Grant and Charles Earl Grant, Executrices
c/o Kirkland, Aaron & Alley, Attorneys
1418 Laurel Street
Columbia, S. C. 29201
Columbia, S. C.
December 8, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Bessie W. Wise, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

George B. Ashby, Executor
c/o Wallace E. Tighe, Atty.
1400 Pickens Street
Columbia, S. C. 29202
Columbia, S. C.
December 6, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Catherine B. Morrison, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

James B. Morrison, Jr., and Robert Michael Morrison, Executors
2800 Stepp Drive
Columbia, S. C. 29204
Columbia, S. C.
December 7, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Raymond S. Moore, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Margaret Benns Seay Moore, Executrix
3009 Wilmot Street
Columbia, S. C. 29205
Columbia, S. C.
December 6, 1976
12 31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mack Lawson, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ada Brown, Executrix
4806 Ridgewood Avenue
Columbia, S. C. 29203
Columbia, S. C.
December 6, 1976
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Rutherford O. Free, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verifed, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Mary Free Galloway, Executrix
c/o T. Eston, Marchant,Atty.
830 Laurel Street
Columbia, S. C. 29201
Columbia, S. C.
December 6, 1976
12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Nicholas P. Poulos, Administrator of the estate of Cleomenes P. Poulos, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 7th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 7, 1976
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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Frances B. Allen, Ancillary Executrix of the estate of Donald W. Allen, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 6th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 6, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Margaret C. Gardner, Executrix of the estate of Bertha Calhoun, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 6th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 6, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Carl T. Max, Sr., Administrator of the estate of Carl T. Max, Jr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 7th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 7, 1976
1/7

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Carl T. Max, Sr., Administrator of the estate of Robert Steven Max, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 7th day of January 1977, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
December 7, 1976
1/7

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Henry Grady Brown deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Harry K. McMillian, T. Jack Crawford and Henry Grady Brown, Jr., Executors
1415 Florawood Drive
Columbia, S.C. 29204
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 15, 1976

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CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County
WHEREAS Mamie Lee Hemphill has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Robert Joe Hemphill deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 29th day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/31

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County
WHEREAS Louise Morris has applied to me for Letters of Administration CTA on the estate of James Victor Morris aka J. V. Morris deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 29th day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/31

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County
WHEREAS John L. Mack has applied to me for Letters of Administration CTA on the estate of Stephney Washington deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. .C, on the 29th day of December 1976 at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of December, A. D. 1976,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S. C.
12/31

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mizelle Adams Hoffman, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Lever Ulysses Hoffman, Executor
1600 Standish Street
Columbia, South Carolina
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 15, 1976

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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Cynthia D. Young, Executrix of the estate of John B. Young, Jr., Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 29th day of December 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
November 29, 1976
12/24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Lena Kline deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Bernard H. Kline, Executor
c o Rudolph C. Barnes, Atty
P.O. Box 11929
Columbia, S.C. 29211
Columbia, S.C.
December 2, 1976
12 24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Amanda H. Lott deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

The South Carolina National Bank, Executor
P.O. Box 168
Columbia, S.C. 29202
COLUMBIA, S.C.
December 9, 1976

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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Samuel Cornelius Williams, Sr. deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Lou Claudell K. Williams, Executrix
Rt. 3, Box 2,
Hopkins, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
December 1, 1976
12/24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Edwin P. Guerard deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Thomas L. Guerard and The South Carolina National Bank, Executors
P.O. Box 168
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
November 30, 1976
12/24

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jeff Gilmore, Administrator of the estate of Janie Mae Gilmore, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976

12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Thelma Portee, Administratrix of the estate of Edell H. Portee, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976

12/31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Janie Mae Holmes, Administratrix CTA of the estate of Howard A. Holmes, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976

12 31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Edmund R. Taylor, Executor of the estate of Ellen E. Taylor, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976

12 31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that G. Martin Stork, Executor of the estate of Lillie C. Younginer, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976

12 31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Shirley Ann DeLoach, Administratrix of the estate of Millage DeLoach, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976

12 31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Olivette Novella Akers, Executrix of the estate of Hilda Nesbitt Akers, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976

12 31

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Erma Weathers Fields and Rosa Holmes, Executrices of the estate of Mattie Baylor, Deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrices; and that the 3rd day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 3, 1976

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SUMMONS

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
In The Court Of Common Pleas

Federal National Mortgage Association, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States,

Plaintiff,

-vs-

Shirley Harper,

Defendant.

TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Complaint on the subscribers at their offices, 516 Palmetto State Life Building, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service thereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Dated at Columbia, South Carolina, on the 15th day of November, 1976.

KENNEDY & PRICE,
ATTORNEYS
Robert G. Price
Attorny for Plaintiff

NOTICE

TO: SHIRLEY HARPER

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Summons and Complaint in the above entitled matter, together with the Order authorizing service upon you by publication, has been filed in the office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County, South Carolina, on the 30th day of November, 1976.

KENNEDY AND PRICE
BY: Robert G. Price

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an action has been commenced and is now pending in this Court upon the Complaint of the above named Plaintiff for the purpose of foreclosing a certain mortgage of real estate heretofore given by Shirley Harper to American Bank and Trust, said mortgage bearing date of February 7, 1973, in Mortgage Book M:301 at Page 42, in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County, in the original principal sum of Eighteen Thousand and No 100 ($18,000.00) Dollars; and subsequent to the execution and delivery of note and mortgage, American Bank and Trust endorsed the note and assigned the mortgage to Government National Mortgage Association by assignment dated February 20, 1973, and recorded February 22, 1973, in the Office of the Clerk of Court of Richland County, in Mortgage Book M:302 at Page 456; and Government National Mortgage Association endorsed the note and assigned the mortgage to Federal National Mortgage Association by assignment dated July 2, 1973, and recorded July 20, 1973, in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County, in Mortgage Book M:320 at Page 68; and that the premises affected by said mortgage and by the foreclosure thereof is situated in the County of Richland, State of South Carolina, and was at the time of the making thereof and at the time of filing of this notice, described as follows:

ALL that lot of land with improvements thereon, situate on the Southern side of Sunglow Drive (now known as Calvary Drive), north of the City of Columbia, in the County of Richland, State of South Carolina, and being shown as Lot No. Thirteen (13) Block Q on plat of Lincolnshire Section 4 by McMillan Engineering Co. dated February 2, 1971 and recorded in the office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County in Plat Book X at page 1430, being bounded and measuring as follows: on the North by Sunglow Drive (now Calvary Drive) whereon it measures 70 feet, on the East by Lot 14 Block Q whereon it measures 140 feet, on the South by a portion of Lots 27 and 28 Block Q whereon it measure 70 feet, and on the West by Lot 12 Block Q whereon it measures 140 feet; also being the identical premises shown upon a plat prepared for Shirley Harper by McMillan Engineering Company dated January 17, 1973.

KENNEDY & PRICE,
ATTORNEYS
BY: Robert G. Price
Attorney for Plaintiff
Columbia, South Carolina
November 15th, 1976

12 24

SUMMONS

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
In The Richland County Family Court

RICHLAND COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES,

Petitioner,

vs.

RONALD WILLIAMS and DEMETRIC R. WILLIAMS, Children under the age of Fourteen Years, GERALDINE GREEN and THOMAS DOUGLAS WILLIAMS,

Respondent.

TO THE RESPONDENT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to answer the Petition herein, a copy of which is hereby served upon you, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Petition upon the subscriber at his office, 1303 Elmwood Avenue, City of Columbia, State of South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the Petition within the time aforesaid, the Petitioner in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Petition.

Kosko and Coffas
By: George C. Kosko
Attorneys for Petitioner
1303 Elmwood Avenue
Columbia, South Carolina 29201
Columbia, S.C.
March 3, 1976

NOTICE OF FILING

TO THE RESPONDENTS, GERALDINE GREEN and THOMAS DOUGLAS WILLIAMS, above-named:

YOU WILL HEREBY TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned, as Attorney for the Petition in the above-captioned matter, has filed this date a copy of the Summons, Petition, Notice of Motion and Motion, with the Clerk of the Richland County Family Court.

KOSKO & COFFAS, P.A.
By: George C. Kosko
Attorneys for Petitioner
Columbia, South Carolina
DATE: Sept. 29, 1976

12 24

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Paula Louise Kahn deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

H. Bernard Kahn, Administrator
c/o William C. Stork, Esquire
P. O. Box 11929
Columbia, S.C. 29211
Columbia, S.C.
December 1, 1976
12/24

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Certificate No. 101 issued to R. Carlisle Robinson by Swansea Development Corporation has been lost or destroyed and that application for a new certificate will be made to the same corporation for issuance of a duplicate certificate on December 30th, 1976.

R. Carlisle Robinson
c o F. E. Robinson, II
P. O. Box 11716
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

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SUMMONS

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
In the Family Court

Lynda Barnard Chitwood,

Plaintiff,

-vs-

Marvin Butler Chitwood, Jr.,

Defendant

TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was filed in the Clerk of Court's Office for Richland County, South Carolina, on December 1, 1976 and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at Student Legal Aid Clinic, University of South Carolina Law Center, Columbia, South Carolina 29208, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for relief demanded in the complaint.

James G. Bogle
Attorney for Plaintiff
December 7, 1976
Columbia, South Carolina
USC Student Legal Aid
USC Law School
Columbia, S. C. 29208

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events & entertainment

CINEMA

ATLANTIC I THEATRE, 3220 Two Notch Road, 786-0790
"Dominatrix" together with "Without Mercy." Rated X, with continuous shows from 11 a.m.
ATLANTIC II THEATRE, 3220 Two Notch Road, 789-0790
"Felicia" precedes "Sodom and Gomorrah." X. From 11.
CAROLINA THEATRE, 1223 Main Street, 252-8011
"Monkey Hustle." Rudy Ray Moore. Cal.
COLUMBIA EAST I THEATRE, 7369 Garner's Ferry Road, 776-0350
"Silver Streak." Comic goings on aboard a coast-to-coast luxury train. The plot suggests Howard Hawks' classic "Twentieth Century," and with the deft Gene Wilder in the lead it could be very funny indeed. Jill Clayburgh and Richard Pryor. Rated PG. Call for the show times.
COLUMBIA EAST II THEATRE, 3220 Two Notch Road, 786-0790
"The Enforcer." The latest of the "Dirty Harry" series has San Francisco cop Clint Eastwood fighting an SLA-type terrorist group. Rated R; phone about the feature times.
DUTCH SQUARE NORTH THEATRE, Dutch Square Mall, 798-1110
"The Enforcer" plays here as well. Call.
DUTCH SQUARE SOUTH THEATRE, Dutch Square Mall, 798-1110
"The Shaggy D.A." Disney's Christmas feature is yet another of the "Shaggy" movies: this one with Dean Jones and Tim Conway as a dog detective. G. 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9.
FOX THEATRE, 1607 Main Street, 254-5212
"The Seven Percent Solution." High hopes for this well-received Sherlock Holmes film based on the recent bestseller. Nicol Williamson plays Holmes, Robert Duvall, no less, is Dr. Watson, Laurence Olivier Moriarty and Alan Arkin puts in an appearance as Sigmund Freud. Nicholas Meyer's overly cute plot has Holmes spirited away to Vienna so that Freud can cure him of his notoroious cocaine addiction. Vanessa Redgave. PG. Call about the feature times.

GAMECOCK I THEATRE, Parkland Plaza Shopping Center, 796-0022
"The Great Adventure" plays here as well. Call about times.
GAMECOCK II THEATRE, Parkland Plaza Shopping Center, 796-0022
"The Amazing Dobermans." Family pic with lots of clever canines. G. Call.
JEFFERSON SQUARE THEATRE, Jefferson Square Downtown, 254-6731
"A Star is Born." Highly touted among the avalanche of Christmas "trade" is this new version of the sentimental story about a wife whose career is on the rise while her husband's is in an alcoholic collapse. The sentimental material has been twice filmed already with unspectacular results, and there's no reason to think the latest attempt, with Barbara Streisand and Kris Kristofferson as rock singers, will be much better; but it will have Streisand doing more singing than in most of her recent roles. R. Call.
MIRACLE THEATRE, 1229 Main Street, 256-1950
"Nickelodeon." The Peter Bogsdanovich version of the days when the movies were young. Ryan and Tatum O'Neal star, with Burt Reynolds, Stella Stevens, and Brian Keith. PG. 2:15, 4:45, 7:15, and 9:45.
PALMETTO THEATRE, 1417 Main Street, 254-5800
"King Kong." Any remake of the much loved 1933 original would have taken it on the nose, but while a good deal of the criticism of Dino De Laurentiis' version is justified, it's a wellmade spectacle that probably gives audiences their moneysworth (never mind the question of whether such a ridiculous venture is worth 24 million dollars to begin with). This Kong, by the way, is a rather maudlin beast, more apt to provoke pangs of sympathy than screams of terror. With Jeff Bridges, newcomer Jessica Lange, and a very funny Charles Grodin. PG. 2, 4:30, 7 and 9:30.
PLAZA III THEATRE, 1323 Main Street, 254-7960
"The Song Remains the Same." Rock film featuring the Led Zeppelin. PG. Call about times.
RICHLAND MALL I THEATRE, Richland Mall, 782-2228
"The Pink Panther Strikes Again." Another direct hit for Blake Edwards, who has made a virtual career out of his Pink Panther films but consistently provides funny if rather innocuous farce. This one has Inspector Clouseau (Peter Sellers) pursued by a number of assasins since the now insane Herbert Lom has, with the aid of one of those nuclear scientists always handy for kidnapping threatened mass destruction unless Clouseau is eliminated. PG. 1:30, 3:30, 5:00, 7:30, and 9:30.
RICHLAND MALL II THEATRE, Richland Mall, 782-2228
"The Great Adventure." Low budget family-type wilderness picture from the makers of "Across the Great Divide." G. 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9

SPECIALS

Columbia Transcendental Meditation program will be offering a special course. All interested persons are invited to attend the holiday program which at 7:30 p.m. on Dec. 29th at 1438 Main St. with an introductory lecture and seminar discussion entitled "Unfolding One's Full Potential To Increasingly Enrich And Enjoy Life Daily". For further information please call the Columbia TM program center at 771-0117.

THEATRE

"Another Morning rising," a play written by J.E. Franklin in collaboration with the Company of Us, will have its premiere showing in Greenwood at 5 p.m. on Dec. 26 at the Brewer Intermediate School Auditorium. The Company of Us, a recently formed community theatre group, is presenting the play as their Christmas present to the city. J.E. Franklin is presently the Writer-in-Residence in Project TAP and has authored several plays including "Black Girl" and "Prodigal Sister" which were produced off-Broadway in New York. She has received awards for her writing including the New York Drama Desk Award and the Institute for the Arts and Humanities Dramatic Arts Award. Another of Ms. Franklin's plays, "In Crowd," will be opening next month at the Henry Street Playhouse Arts for Living Center in New York.

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camped-up treatment of the pulpy adventure genre (direct ties can be seen to Edgar Rice Burroughs and Conan Doyle's "Lost World") in which it was made. What "Kong" was in fact was one of the most sophisticated sexual pranks ever perpetrated by Hollywood. Made three years after the writing of Will Hays' production code, the movie was a ferociously funny metaphor for these heros who could look but no longer touch, whose frustrations were moral rather than physiological. "Twas beauty killed the beast," as Robert Anderson said in that final scene, and poor Kong, with the hots for Fay Wray and unable to do anything about it, trampled on natives, fought dinosaurs, and ended up climbing the greatest phallic symbol of his era. Amongst the general inanity (and perhaps some of those who so adore the movie ought to see it as adults), it's this tougue-in-cheek innuendo that makes "King Kong" so much fun today.

Unfortunately, while the current "Kong" is hardly a desecration, it's not a particularly brilliant movie either: the sex angle has obviously lost its titillating appeal in the libbed 70's and Dino and crew were apparently unable to think of some other imaginative use of the material. The best they were able to come up with was Kong the romantic. This time the monster, played by a man in an ape suit rather than a menancingly mechanical model, drinks to Jessica Lange with his eyes in looks of soulful contemplation. He's a gentleman, rather than an animal who plays with her clothing out of curosity, not voyeurism and who gently pushes her around -- finally pushing her away when the end is near. If he starts to smash things, it takes but the sight of Jessica to turn him into a pussycat. Kong, the ballsiest of all screen heroes, has become a rank sentimentalist.

This is clever, but not clever enough — perhaps because characterization becomes exorbitantly expensive when your actor is partly a giant hydraulic device, and the scenes with Kong are skimped a bit over the original. The humans, however, are very good indeed: Jeff Bridges as the romantic lead, introducing the ape motif with a hair style that looks remarkably like a baboon's; Jessica Lange, perhaps unintentionally comic in her impersonation of a dumb starlet (if this film makes her career it will be a triumph of PR); Rene Aberjunois as the wise-cracking second banana on the expedition to find new oil reserves in the South Pacific. And it was a poetic injustice when Charles Grodin, the expedition captain, got stomped; with his droopy mustaches, squinty, sidelong Richard Nixon stare, and air, as in "The Heartbreak Kid," of bumbling self-assurance, he's the best thing in the picture.

Finally, the special effects: If the original "Kong" was a work of art in anything it was the execution; the skilfull use of glass, matt, and process shots, the detail of the miniatures such as an elevated train with little people inside, the realistic animation were a triumph of technique that few horror movies since have attempted. Certainly the makers of this film have tried, but it was probably impossible to be as convincing with today's higher photographic standards: the studio backdrops are more obvious, the matt shots (as they seemingly always do in color) produce a halo effect. Possibly the biggest disappointment is the final scene, this time on top of the World Trade Center, which is not nearly as spectacular as the original. Still DeLaurentiis and use of a man-sized ape). Still, De Laurentiis, director director John Guillerman have created some elaborate effects and the movie, particularly the island scenes, is very handsome to look at.

Indeed, as sheer spectacle, if nothing else, "Kong" is to be recommended. It was perhaps a big enough imaginative leap for De Laurentiis to simply update the story (Universal wanted to do it in '33 settings with Sensurround); the movie is certainly a cut above the quality of such recent spectaculars as "Airport '75" and "Earthquake" -- movies that look as though they might have been manufactured and packaged by the Ronco Corporation. De Laurentiis is basically a showman who, like the makers of the original "Kong," is out to give the audience a good time. And so he does, even though this "Kong" seems to have lost its spirit somewhere in the sheer mechanics of production.

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